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THURSDAY, MAY 18, 1893.

THERE WILL BE NO RETREAT.

Every now and then somebody announces what he, she or it is about to do with the Government. One is going to restore Liliuokalani on June 25th; another has decided to give the throne to Kaulani when she comes of age; a third will institute a republic when he gets ready.

Now this is all very fine as a matter of theatrical trumpeting, but it would be well for any man or woman who wants to change the present order of things to consult the Annexation party first. That organization, when it comes to the settlement of Hawaiian affairs, will have more to say than anybody else. It is now in possession of the group, which is nine points of the law. It has the power to add the other law point of the ten through appropriate legislation. Its guns are quite numerous and well manned. The government of its choice is patient and strong, and will surrender its position to nobody except the United States—to nobody whether of high or low degree; and there is no one high enough to dare it to do, in its own defense, what the law of nations would justify it in doing toward the persons and the property of dangerous malcontents.

It is time to beat down this arrogant presumption that the annexation party will cut and run from its breastworks whenever a wooden horse full of imitation Trojans is pushed against it; time to dismiss the idea that any man, by waving a due bill in the face of the annexation leaders, can stampede them like a herd of antelope before a prairie fire; time to suppress the puerile fancy that any power on earth will ever permit the disgraced Hawaiian dynasty to resume any of its usual functions except that of going to the devil.

The Annexation party controls these Islands, from the peak of Mauna Kea, Hawaii, to the mullet ponds of Waikiki. It will continue so to do, unless foreign powers coerce it, until the wisdom of American statesmen comes to the relief of this American colony—and meanwhile its power is sufficient to smash any one who gets in the way.

BOWEN AND SEWELL.

It is probable that Harold M. Sewell did not openly join Wm. Shaw Bowen in the pretense that he had come here as a quasi-representative of President Cleveland, and the rumor that he did doubtless arose from the fact that he failed to deny the soft impeachment while a good time could be had by letting the misapprehension stand. It was alleged, before Bowen and Sewell left San Francisco, that they were bearing a sort of government commission, and a *Chronicle* reporter interviewed them on that point. Both men, if the published report of what they said and evaded saying is correct, left it to be inferred that such was indeed the case. A similar policy was pursued by them after their arrival in Honolulu, Bowen claiming outright to represent Cleveland, and Sewell maintaining a "significant silence" when questioned whether he bore a like relation to the American executive. It was perfectly natural, under such circumstances, that Mr. Sewell should find his name coupled with Bowen's in the denial, which the State Department has felt called upon to make, of their alleged relations to the government. The ex-Samoan Consul was simply known by the company he kept and by the false impressions which he was unwilling to contradict. After this experience, which we hear is very painful to him, he will doubtless see fit not to again sail in ships that carry false colors.

In spite of the fact that the new Minister is accredited to the Provisional Government and is *persona grata* to it, a royalist organ asserts, touching his "power to restore the Queen," that he is likely to have authority in that direction "far beyond the knowledge, hopes and wishes of the annexationists." It is by such unflinching falsehoods as this that so many natives who believe in annexation are coerced into line with the fallen sovereign and made to think that her return to power is practicable. At the same time the allegation insults the new minister at a vital point and ought to be the means of securing for him the protection of the Government.

The conceit that Mr. Gresham is at loggerheads with Commissioner—now Minister—Blount, because he had not permitted the natives to be deceived as to his powers in the matter of restoring the ex Queen, may be set down as the invention of a freak reporter. The United States Government is not in the business of falsehood and deception, and when Mr. Blount made his significant reply to the appeal of the women for the return of Liliuokalani to the throne he simply carried out the policy of President Cleveland as expressed in the text of his written instructions, and did it so well without, as to merit the promotion which has come to him.

The statement that Mr. Stevens was not allowed to resign is absurd and mischievous. His resignation was filed months ago and the only comment made upon it by Mr. Cleveland's Secretary of State was in a request that he stay here until the end of the present troubles. Mr. Stevens declined to remain and was thereupon, in the natural course of things, relieved by Commissioner Blount.

BOATING IN HONOLULU.

A Plea for the Revival of the Manly Aquatic Exercise.

"In the States and England boating is among the chief sports," said a well-known man yesterday. "The college boat races that take place every year between Yale and Harvard, and Oxford and Cambridge create no small stir among sporting circles. The Yale and Harvard crews start in training in December and keep it up till the first of July, when the great race comes off. Boating is one of the best of exercises and more than one man has been built up by it. Some of the best oarsmen in the Eastern colleges have come from Hawaii. Walter Dole, formerly a student of Olin College, was stroke of the Cornell four-oared crew, which has made the best record of any college four-oared crew in the States. George Carter, another Honolulu boy, pulled in the Yale crew when they defeated Harvard by twenty-two boat lengths; and still another Island boy, Frank Lyman, did fine work in building up the Harvard crew. He rowed in the Harvard four-oared crew that went to England, and if he had pulled stroke, which he ought to have done, there is no telling how the race would have turned out.

"There is no reason why there couldn't be championship boat races here in Honolulu every year. It would certainly tend to keep boating on the move. Boating and base-ball are the chief sports here. There is a set time for a series of games to decide the base-ball championship every year, and why not have the same for rowing? The Myrtles have challenged the Healanis for the championship and they have accepted, but the time and place have not been settled on yet; the public will probably know in a few days. Alfred Carter, formerly stroke for the Myrtles senior crew, will arrive here shortly from Yale College and will probably take up rowing again, and also Mr. O. Sorenson, a member of the Myrtles and stroke for the junior crew that did the Healanis up so brown on May 24, '92, will return from Stanford University on the Monowai. And now will be a chance for a good boat race with all these oarsmen in town."

PERSONAL.

Harold Sewell is at Waianae, the guest of Hon. H. A. Widemann. Dr. Day will take Dr. Miner's place on the Board of Examiners for lepers during the latter's absence, and Dr. Wood will succeed Dr. Henri McGrew until the latter is well enough to resume his duties.

MORE POLICE ORDERS.

Marshall Hitchcock Putting the Force in a Disciplined Condition.

Marshall Hitchcock is drawing the lines still tighter about the boys at the police station, and is issuing disciplinary orders with a frequency that bids fair to make our bobbies the equal to any in the world. The last order deals with the conduct of policemen and its principal points are as follows: Officers must not leave their beats to procure meals, coffee or refreshments. Any police officer going into a saloon for the purpose of drinking, or under the influence of liquor shall be removed from the force. Smoking is prohibited except from midnight to 5:30 A. M. Policemen are forbidden to stand in idle conversation with loiterers or other persons to pass away the time.

Information is to be given to strangers but nothing must be said by officers about suspicious characters or about any contemplated action to arrest them, or about any steps to be taken by the authorities to detect crime or criminals.

OUR HILO LETTER.

DEVELOPMENT ON HAWAII ISLAND.

The Road Board—Moonshine Distilleries—Teachers—The Aloha Aina Fire Department.

The judicious and timely determination of the Commissioners of Crown lands to open up a number of the branch trails leading from the main road, is one which should meet with general approval, as it means the opening up to settlement of further tracts of fine agricultural land now inaccessible. Altogether over 74 leases have already been executed and the scene along the road is one of energetic pioneering. Besides the Kona Coffee and Com. Co.'s venture there are several smaller enterprises in the field, notably of a Miss Lee, who has lately arrived and who, with a sturdy independence, proposes to engage in coffee culture. Ry-croft's plantation in Puna has thus far been remarkably successful, and the company which began operations in Kona under Mr. Miller's management, already have over hundred acres in plant, some of it on rugged black *au*, showing but slightly the presence of soil, but thriving with extreme luxuriance for all that. Though late to come around a number of plantation managers have begun to put in coffee in the forests above the cane limit. An intense activity is also being manifested toward a more general development of small farming products. The new leases negotiated with the Parker estate reserve 1000 acres of the choice Pua-kapu tract in Waimea; there is also reserved a part of the Honokaa land in Hamakua, aside from the land looked on as suitable for cane, while nearer in are over 2000 acres of the land of Koahe. In the district of Hilo over 900 acres of land have been cleared for the crop of 1894 and 1895. The reopening of the Laopahocho plantation under the capable management of Mr. McLennan, has inaugurated a new era of activity in North Hilo and in Kailua. Mr. J. H. Kenton, the enterprising new manager of the Kailua plantation, is bringing under cultivation a new tract of 200 acres which has for a long time lain unproductive.

Talking about Kailua, it may not be amiss to mention the fact that the bridge over the Wakaina gulch is unsafe for traffic and should be immediately attended to; while at Niihii the planks which cover the flumes under the road are rotten, so that a mishap may occur at any moment. As one of the members of the Road Board lives in the immediate vicinity and might be one of the first to meet with an accident to his corporal well being, this friendly advice is given gratuitously.

The same policy of general neglect and inactivity characterizes the personnel of the Hilo Road Board. The new steel bridge over the Honolulu, which cost the taxpayers close on to \$15,000, requires immediate attention. The three-quarter inch interstices between the floor planks have been allowed to become choked up, so that there is a ribbon of grass growing between every two planks, the guides require painting, and the floor joists and rails should be tarred. The latter steps should likewise be employed on the new Wailuku bridge, and there is besides a dangerous lateral sway which a half day's labor could correct. Just now this symposium of engineering talent is employed in having the dirt dug away from the sides of the streets and throw it in the middle which is then covered with sand, so that with the first rains that fall we may hope to see the processes of erosion which formed the ridges and valleys of West Maui and elsewhere, repeated in our midst, there by demonstrating that the policy of our Road Board is an educational one, in that it endeavors to lead up the public to a study and comprehension of geological changes.

"At Kailua, in the gulch of Puhala, The thirty new purchase, Kanaka sanshu; The police and the sheriff have hunted in vain, For the Kailua moonshine is rampant again."

and the extremely low price of 50 cents a bottle now renders it possible for the poorest and lowly, stony-fisted son of toil to exhibit to his compatriot of the hoe-slinging brigade his palatial mansion and polished oak sideboard and there pledge his good fellowship with a glass of this sparkling nectar; though, as a rule, the quaff is short but the "nepepthe" mighty long.

Distilleries also abound in Puna, it is said, while the last week has witnessed a marked influx of Japs under the courteous cicerone of Hawaiian policeman. It is claimed by the authorities that these people have been selling liquor, which, of course, the accused, through their attorney, indignantly deny.

The coming few weeks will leave us devoid of teachers, a number of whom propose to visit the World's Fair, and while it would be unfair to single out any one for special praise, as all are equally deserving of merit, still we cannot refrain from expressing our astonishment at the fact that whereas the former principal of the Hilo union school was paid a salary of \$1,600 a year, with the further promise of an increase to \$1,800 after he had made the demand for the same, the present principal, Miss D. yo, receives but \$1,000 per annum, and this in spite of the fact that more scholars attend the school than ever before, and numbers have had to be declined.

We are of those who believe that when a woman is equally capable with a man in occupying positions of responsibility and discharging the duties appertaining to the same, the mere fact of sex ought not to disqualify her from being appreciated at the same valuation. Unfortunately this one

instance named is by no means an isolated one. Where does the blame belong?

Among those who are about to leave are Mr. and Mrs. Terry, who, during the short time they have looked after the affairs of the Hilo Boarding School, have managed it successfully. While financially the status of the institution is all but a flourishing one, and in fact the close of the school year leaves the treasury practically bankrupt, still the good work accomplished during the same period has been far in advance of any previous efforts. The discipline and deportment of the schools are perfect, the manual training received appears to have taken root, and the English spoken is more creditable than heretofore. Taking the results as a whole, the showing of young Hawaiians exemplified in the graduating exercises just closed speaks well for the future.

Coming at time when so large a number of young Hawaiians look with sullen hatred on everything foreign and are content to sport white doekin pants which are tight in the leg and wide in the spring, with a red sash around the waist and a wreath of peacock feathers around their hats, who will not accept work even if offered them at fair rates of wages, but whose sole ambition is gratified in the possession of a guitar, with which they will make long journeys about to trouble at some luau and be content with small gratuities, who can neither fish, swim, or talk their own language grammatically, who are the very loafers, but who revile those of their own race who seek to live up to nobler instincts—it is just at such a time that institutions like the Kamehameha and Hilo Boarding schools attest to the wisdom of their founders and demonstrate that the efforts to regenerate the Hawaiian from the debasing influences and tendencies of past reigns is not so hopeless after all.

Those who have circulated the Patriotic League, or "Aloha Aina" petition through the two Konas have been very thorough in their canvass. It is reported that every man, woman and child, male and female, have had their names entered, and if, as is further reported, these signatures bear the mark of having been made by but two parties, these two industrious signers are entitled to the thanks of the whole community in having written so legible a hand.

Hilo, also, since the return of the Blount-Nordhoff party, has seen gala times. The plug hat contingent, under the leadership of the doughty Colonel, Major, the Hon., etc., Baker and the Maechiavellian Henry West has made its joyous display no "place aux dames" for them, as the curtain has just rung down on the finale, representing the sylphlike forms of the dusky holoou containing element of the committee, flitting into Sylva's photograph gallery in search of immortality.

The freedom of the town was accorded our visitors. A great double canoe was rigged up, and "over the summer sea, with light hearts gay and free," a straight course of S.E. by N. one-half W. was laid for distant Cocoa nut Island, but head winds and fractious waters hindered them, and so they returned. And so the plug hats wandered sadly homeward.

Doubtly grateful are the fire laddies of this great metropolis, for have they not received at last their fire engine, reel and hose? And now they propose to erect a Firemen's hall with the funds allowed them by the appropriation of 1892, together with such funds as are in the hands of the Town Hall Committee, but which the latter as yet is by no means willing to surrender on the bare promise by the officers of the company that they will allow the hall to the use of the town. Of course this is contracting a debt which is expressly enjoined in the law without first obtaining the Minister's consent, as is likewise the acceptance of any offer toward supplying the lumber on tick.

Query—Would not a \$250 shed do as well for the time being?

The bark Mauna Ala is at Mahukona loading with sugar for San Francisco.

A. B. L.

Trusts and Combinations

Are unpopular. But there is one form of trust against which no one has anything to say. That is the trust which the public reposes in Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the best of it is the trust is fully justified by the merit of the medicine. For, remember, HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA CURES.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, and do not purge, pain or gripe. Sold by all druggists.

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English Corded Goods, colored, and a Fine Line of Millinery with all the Latest Novities.

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No. 10 Fort Street.

BY AUTHORITY.

GOVERNMENT POUND NOTICE.

Mr. W. S. Wood has this day been appointed Poundmaster of the Government Pound at Maunaloa, Ewa, Oahu, vice J. Kaula, resigned.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, May 16, 1893. 44 3f

GOVERNMENT POUND NOTICE.

Mr. Peter Joseph has this day been appointed Poundmaster of the Government Pound at Kula, District of Makawao, Maui, vice Mr. Naieono, resigned.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, May 16, 1893. 44 3f

GOVERNMENT POUND NOTICE.

In accordance with Section 1 of Chapter XXXV of the Session Laws of A. D. 1888, I have this day set apart an enclosure in Hulihi, Kalaia, District of Hanalei, Kauai, for the impounding of Estrays.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, May 16, 1893.

Mr. R. W. Naehehu has this day been appointed Poundmaster for the Government Pound at Hulihi, Kalaia, District of Hanalei, Kauai.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, May 16, 1893. 44 3f

SALE OF GOVERNMENT LANDS. ESPLANADE, HONOLULU, OAHU.

On Wednesday, June 14, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, at the front entrance of Aliolioli Hale, will be sold at public auction, lots Nos. 70 and 71, Esplanade, Honolulu, Oahu, containing an area of 10,000 square feet, a little more or less.

Upset price \$2,000 for each lot.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, May 16, 1893. 43 3f

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

A channel 200 feet wide and 30 feet deep at mean low water, has been cut through the bar at the entrance to Honolulu harbor.

The center line of this channel bears N. 26° 43' E. true.

The line of the Harbor Light (red) and the Inner Light (green), bears N. 25° 20' E. true, and just touches the east side of this channel at the outer end.

The line of the Harbor Light (red) and the Clock Tower of the Honolulu Planning Mill on Fort Street, bears N. 28° 30' E., and just touches the west side of this channel at the outer end.

The harbor has been dredged to a depth of 28 feet at mean low water, for a length of over 500 feet along the Pacific Mail dock.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.

Department of the Interior,
Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands,
May 18, 1893. 36 6f

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST CIRCUIT, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS—IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the Estate of RUDOLF ASCHHEIM, of San Francisco, State of California, deceased, intestate.

On reading and filing the petition of C. BOLTE of Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, alleging that said Rudolf Aschheim, died intestate at San Francisco on the 7th day of March, 1893, leaving property in the Hawaiian Islands necessary to be administered upon, and praying that Letters of Administration issue to petitioner.

It is ordered that TUESDAY, the 23rd day of May, 1893, at 10 o'clock A. M., he and hereby is appointed for hearing said petition, in the Court Room of this Court, at Aliolioli Hale, Honolulu, at which time and place all persons concerned may appear and show cause if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated Honolulu, April 20th, 1893.

By the Court: HENRY SMITH, Clerk.

IRRIGATION NOTICE.

Holders of Water Privileges, or those paying Water Rates, are hereby notified that the hours for using water for irrigation purposes, are from 6 to 8 o'clock A.M., and 4 to 6 o'clock P.M., until further notice.

ANDREW BROWN,
Supt. Honolulu Water Works.

Approved: J. A. KING,

Minister of the Interior.

Honolulu, H. I., April 1st, 1893.

NOTICE.

The new sur-charged stamps of the Provisional Government will be on sale at the Post Office, on or about May 20, 1893, after which date the present issue, and sale of same, will cease, and none of the old issue will be thereafter sold for postal purposes.

JOS. M. OAT,
Postmaster-General.

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ANNEXATION CLUB.

THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE Executive Committee of the Annexation Club, corner Fort and Hotel streets, will be open from 8 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. and from 7 P.M. until 9 P.M.

All those wishing to sign the membership roll may do so during those hours.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

New Advertisements.

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100 FORT STREET,
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Below we make mention of some of our special bargains:

Ladies' and Children's FAST BLACK HOSE, at 25 cts. a pair.

Ladies' and Children's FAST BLACK HOSE, at 3 pairs for \$1.00—Special value.

Ladies' RIBBED UNDER-VESTS at 15 cts. each.

Large variety of new TENIS FLANNELS.

5 Qualities in "P. D." CORSETS, from \$1.25 to \$3.50 a pair.

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In KID GLOVES we call special attention to our DENT, ALCROFT, DRIVING and STREET GLOVES, at \$1.75 a pair, in Kid and Suede.

In our Furnishing Goods Department, we can give you the BEST UNLAUNDERED SHIRT in Town for \$1.00.

Fine Fitting, Finely Made CRAPE SHIRTS including Neck-tie for \$1.25.

SILK SHIRTS in large variety.

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Special Value in LACE CURTAINS.

In our House Furnishing Department, we have a complete stock of

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TRUNKS, BAGS and VALISES.

These last lines we are closing out, not intending to carry them any longer.

These Goods, you can Buy at your own price.

EGAN & GUNN,

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General Advertisements.

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And you are bound to hit some of the ducks. This is precisely the same with

Wampole's Tasteless Preparation OF Cod Liver Oil.

It aims to cure Consumption, Hits the Mark, too, and it most effectually breaks up Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness and all Throat and Lung troubles that cause this disease.

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